

Know all men by these presents, That I, Samuel L. Fowler, of the  
County of Brazoria, Administrator of the estate of Volney Ostrander  
deceased, by virtue of the annexed letter of administration

have made, substituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint

John Moore Esq<sup>r</sup> my

true and lawful Attorney for me and in my name, place and stead, in as the  
attorney for the estate of the said Volney Ostrander, to make  
demand and recover of and from the proper Officers of the  
State of Texas; all such evidence of debt and all such  
sums of money as may be due to the said deceased  
for services in Army of the late Republic of Texas,  
especially such sum as has been allowed to the said  
Volney Ostrander deceased, by the Auditor and Compt-  
roller of the said State of Texas, by Certificate No.  
2827 issued to the said Volney Ostrander, on all  
other sums, and to give rights and quietus for  
the same as fully as might or could do if present and acting  
giving and granting unto my said Attorney, full power and authority to do and perform  
all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in and about  
the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes, as I might or could do if  
personally present, with full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and con-  
firming all that my said Attorney as his substitute shall lawfully do or cause to  
be done by virtue hereof. Given under my hand and seal the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1852.

Samuel L. Fowler  
Administrator of Volney Ostrander

The State of Texas, { Before me, M. B. Williamson Clerk of the County  
COUNTY OF BRAZORIA.

Court of said County — this day at my office  
personally came Samuel L. Fowler who is well known to me, and  
who declared that he had, as the Administrator aforesaid  
of Volney Ostrander deceased

signed and sealed the above Letter of Attorney as his voluntary acts and deed, for the  
purposes and consideration therein named.

In faith whereof, I grant these presents under my signature and impress of the seal of  
the said County Court at the city of Brazoria, this seven th<sup>n</sup>  
day of April A.D. eighteen hundred and fifty two —

M. B. Williamson  
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